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UPRISING HELD NEAR IN GERMANY

Royalists Reported Arming In Bavaria and The South

SOVIET AGENT APPEAL

Bolshevik Revolt Alleged to be Brewing in North With Soviet Aid—Kaiser Lays Plans.

Berlin, Jan. 15.—Germany is on the brink of a double revolution, it is believed here. In Bavaria and the south the royalists are arming and are about ready to declare for a return of the monarchy. The former Kaiser, it is said, is financing this plot, backed by the reactionary party, the military caste and many of the civil officials. Then the German army in East Prussia is officered by monarchists and its forces have been greatly augmented recently. It is ready to start a march on to Berlin when the signal is given.

On the other hand, the Deutsche Zeitung claims to have discovered a complete plan for a Bolshevik uprising in Northern Germany, which, it says, has received the approval of the Moscow leaders. The paper also prints a letter from Sinovjev-Apfelbaum, the soviet agent recently banished from Germany, to his German comrades.

"We know that the decisive struggle will be harder in Germany than it was with us, and far more bloody," he writes, "but we are absolutely convinced that the German proletariat will do its duty and fulfill its sacred mission in the fight for the freedom of the world. The focus of the world revolution is now centered on you.

"The necessity for action undoubtedly will come at a time when we shall be unable to lend you support as quickly as we should have been able to do some time ago. The change in our condition forced us to conclude peace with capitalistic Poland before the great action might be started in Germany; but this peace will not last very long."

The two revolutionary parties are watching each other closely. The Socialist paper Koenigsberger Volkszeitung charges that the reactionary commander in chief of East Prussia, General von Dassel, is daily attracting large forces of armed men to his command, who cross the lines from other German states. One day, the paper charges, 500 men marched to East Prussia to join him. They are said to have been fully armed and had with them four heavy and two light guns. Forces of similar strength followed on the two succeeding days, without the German Minister of Defense making the slightest effort to interfere, it is charged.

Supporting these charges, the Muenchener Post, a much less radical paper, prints an address to the Twenty-sixth Company of machine-gun shock troops which is supposed to be disarmed and disbanded since the armistice. The writer informs his commandant that he has been obliged to hide in his own apartment 16 heavy and 27 lighter machine guns, and goes on to say:

"The political situation calls for a solution by force as soon as possible.

"All our new formations in Berlin and Breslau are fully prepared and are cooperating with the 25 companies under our control in the regular army. The more violent our first attack, the greater the prospect of our success."

Dorn, Holland, Jan. 15.—The former German Kaiser is having a huge gateway constructed at the side of the park in which his present home is located. It is on a fine road running straight to the German frontier and faces away from the village. The present gate opens on a road running through the village and is guarded day and night by a Dutch guard. This guard cannot see the new gate.

It is whispered among the Kaiser's friends who come here—and there is a constant stream of them bringing messages from adherents all over Germany—that in a high powered car he could dash to the German frontier in a few hours.

Were some one to impersonate him in the castle grounds here for a few days his escape would not be known until he turned up in Germany at the head of an army, as only his personal servants are permitted to come close to him.

Paff-McKnew

Miss Virginia Paff Married at Noon Today to Thomas W. McKnew

A very pretty and quiet wedding was solemnized today at noon at the residence of former Mayor and Mrs. Frederick J. Paff when their daughter, Miss Virginia Chauncey Paff became the bride of Mr. Thomas Wilson McKnew, son of Mrs. B. V. McKnew, of Washington, D. C.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a dark blue velvet suit trimmed in squirrel, with hat to match and a corsage bouquet of orchids and lilies of the valley. Miss Margaret Paff, her sister's only attendant, wore brown georgette crepe over blue charmeuse and carried an arm bouquet of Ward roses. Mr. Edward F. McKnew, of Washington, D. C., was his brother's best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor of the Second Presbyterian Church in the presence of the two immediate families.

The out of town guests for the wedding included: Mrs. B. V. McKnew, Miss Eda M. McKnew, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. McKnew, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Stellwagen, Capt. Ridley McLean, U. S. N., and Mrs. McLean, and Mrs. F. G. Dietrich, of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Benter, of New Jersey, Mr. George A. Paff, of Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. McKnew will reside in Cumberland, Md.

Seek Historical Books

D. A. R., of This City, to Place Them in Library at Continental Hall To Restore Quaker Cemetery

The regular meeting of Mount Vernon Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Miss Fannie M. Burke, with the regent, Mrs. D. Mauchlin Niven, presiding.

Other members present were Mrs. Eleanor S. Washington Howard, Mrs Lucy Madison Morse, Mrs. C. William Wattles, Mrs. Burnett C. Bunn, Mrs. George Uhler, Mrs. C. A. S. Sinclair and Miss Helen Calvert.

The customary routine business was transacted, after which the committee on the location and dedication of the second boundary milestone made its final report.

A library committee, of which Miss Fannie M. Burke was made chairman, was appointed to collect books of historic interest and genealogical data for the library of Memorial Continental Hall.

A letter was read from the president general of the National Society requesting the aid of the chapter towards restoring and preserving the old Quaker cemetery in Alexandria. This matter will receive further consideration.

The chapter will be represented at the national Congress in April by the regent, Mrs. D. Mauchlin Niven and Miss Helen C. Calvert, who was elected delegate.

Highwaymen Busy

Thos. Crummey, Held up and Robbed in Fairfax Today

Thomas Crummey, colored, who lives near Cloud's Mill, Fairfax county, three miles southwest of Alexandria, reported to the police that he was held up and robbed of $8 at 6.30 o'clock this morning while enroute to this city.

Crummey says the highwaymen were negroes. One, he says, held a pistol to his head while the other went through his pockets. Crummey furnished the police with a description of the men which tallies with the description given of two negro highwaymen who have been operating extensively during the past week in this neighborhood.

SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE
Men's Sweaters 1-2 Price
DOWNHAM AND RIDGELY
10-4c.

DANCE
Dancing class and dancing every Tuesday from 8.30 to 12 p. m. in Odd Fellow Hall. Union Music. Committee, Alexandria Dancing Club. 75 cents per couple, extra lady, 15 cents
11-5p.

BANQUET BY I.O.O.F. ATTENDED BY 250

Representative A. J. Montague and Rev. Dr. J. L. Allison Speakers

OFFICERS INSTALLED

Banquet Served by Ladies of Rebekah Lodge—Music by Rodger's Orchestra—Enjoyable Affair.

Two hundred and fifty Odd Fellows last night sat down to the annual banquet and reunion of Potomac Lodge No. 38, Odd Fellows, which followed the installation of the newly elected officers of that lodge.

Interesting addresses were made by Representative Andrew Jackson Montague and Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison of this city, the latter grand warden of the grand lodge of Virginia. Invocation was given by Rev. Edgar Carpenter past noble grand of Potomac Lodge. W. Clifton Cunningham was toastmaster. The hall and tables were prettily decorated. The banquet was served by the ladies of Liberty Rebekah Lodge of Odd Fellows No. 16. Music was furnished by Rodgers' Orchestra.

Prior to the banquet L. E. Butts, district deputy grand master, and staff installed the following officers: T. E. Mudd, noble grand; James Haynes, vice grand; W. E. Latham, jr., financial secretary; G. W. Bontz jr., treas., N. L. Williamson, rec. secty.; A. F. Elmore, chaplain; H. E. Arnold, right supporter to noble grand; A. T. Sullivan left supporter to noble grand; F. L. Ward, warden; J. H. Davis, conductor; W. R. Gorham, right scene supporter; Harvey Wade, left scene supporter; T. E. Mills, right supporter to vice grand; I. C. Minor, left supporter to vice grand; F. L. Elmore, inside guard; L. T. Webster, outside guard; L. E. Remington, sitting past grand.

The staff of installing officers follows: L. E. Butts, district deputy grand master; W. K. Studds, district deputy grand marshal; Joseph Morrow, district deputy grand warden; H. M. Lambert, district deputy grand secretary; E. C. Todd, district deputy grand financial secretary; J. W. Van Pelt, district deputy grand treasurer; I. A. McHaffey, district deputy grand chaplain.

The committee in charge of the banquet was composed of W. Clifton Cunningham, G. Raymond Gaines, A. T. Sullivan, E. L. Remington, Elmore Mudd and James Haynes.

The menu follows:

Oyster Cocktail
Roast Turkey Cranberries
Olives Celery
Smithfield Ham Banquet Rolls
Potato Salad
Ice Cream Cakes
After Dinner Mints
Cigars

Potomac Lodge of Odd Fellows has gotten out a handsomely illustrated book of fourteen pages containing the names of all of the officers of the lodge together with the name of every member. It also contains a history of the lodge which was organized March 19, 1839.

Chicago Lawyer Protests to Congress Over Landis Holding Two Posts

Washington, Jan. 15.—Thomas J. Sutherland, a Chicago lawyer, sent to Senator Sherman and Representative William E. Mason yesterday a petition protesting against the employment of Judge Landis as supreme ruler of the National Baseball Commission.

In his petition to Congressmen demanding action relating to Judge Landis serving both as a judge and also as an agent of the baseball commission Sutherland seeks to show that the jurist in accepting an annual salary from the baseball commission of $42,500 a year while drawing a salary of $7,500 as a Federal judge is acting in violation of the spirit of the statutes preventing a Government officer from engaging in remunerative private enterprises.

SEMI-ANNUAL
Clearance Sale
Men's Union Suits and
2-Piece Underwear
1-2 Price This Week.
DOWNHAM AND RIDGELY
10-4c.

Officers Installed

Liberty Rebekah Lodge, I. O. O. F. Officials Assume Duties

The following newly elected officers of Liberty Rebekah Lodge No. 16, Odd Fellows, were installed last Tuesday night by Mrs. W. L. Martin, sr., district deputy president; Mrs. George Reynolds, noble grand; Miss Vinnie Williams, vice grand; Mrs. W. C. Drury, warden; Mrs. C. Mumford, conductor; H. L. Arnold, right supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Claude W. Fletcher, left supporter to noble grand; Mrs. Shirly Risdon, right supporter to vice grand; Mrs. Percy E. Clift, left supporter to vice grand; Mrs. L. E. Harding, outside guardian; Mrs. S. Haslett, inside guardian; Mrs. Wilmer J. McMenamin, chaplain.

To Live In Canada

Paul Kester, Author and Playwright, Will Move This Winter

Paul Kester, author and playwright, who is well known in Alexandria, and who formerly lived at Belmont, Lloyd, Arlington county, will move this winter to Port Hope, Canada, where he will make his future home. Mr. Kester will be accompanied by his mother.

Mrs. Kester has purchased "Belgrade" on the Cobung road, on Lake Ontario, 21 miles east of Toronto.

Mr. Kester's many friends in Alexandria will regret to learn of his departure.

A number of years ago Mr. Kester bought Woodlawn, in Fairfax county, which he sold later, purchasing Gunston Hall, the former home of George Mason. After the death of his brother, Vaughn Kester, author of "The Prodigal Judge," a novel which had a large sale and was dramatized by George Middleton and played by Macklyn Arbuckle for several seasons, Mr. Kester and his mother went to England, where they lived for a short while. Upon their return to this country Mr. Kester purchased "Belmont," on Mount Ida, Arlington county, which was subsequently bought by the school board of Jefferson district and is now known as George Mason High School. Mr. Kester and his mother now live west of Aurora Hills, on the highway between this city and Washington.

ARSON RING ATTACK SEEN IN BIG BLAZE IN MINING TOWN

Clearfield, Pa., Jan. 15.—Firebugs applied the torch to the Liberty Trading Company's store building, at Madera, Pa., at 1 o'clock yesterday and before the flames had been gotten under control the entire business section of the town had been wiped out and several residences destroyed, with a loss estimated at $250,000.

Fifteen buildings in the business district were burned to the ground. A hotel, a clothing store, a theatre, a hardware store, a drug store, two general stores, two business blocks and a number of homes went up in smoke.

Dynamite was used to check the flames as they swept on toward the postoffice and the buildings beyond.

Three men were injured during the conflagration, two of them firemen, and the other a bystander, who was struck by debris from the dynamited buildings.

To Fill Vacancy

Alexandria Light Infantry Will Monday Elect Second Lieutenant

At the request of the adjutant general of the state militia a meeting of the members of the Alexandria Light Infantry will be held at 8 o'clock Monday night at the armory for the purpose of electing a second lieutenant to fill the vacancy in that company caused by the resignation of Robert H. Hancock. All members are urged to attend. A telegram has just been received from Jo Lane Stern, adjutant general of Virginia, directing that the election be held.

SUNDAY DINNER
One Dollar
at the
MONTICELLO CAFE
Menu
Celery Olives
Chicken Soup
Baked Potomac Shad
Roast Chicken Oyster Dressing
Brussel Sprouts Creamed Carrotts
Lettuce Salad
Hot Biscuits Coffee or Tea
Fruit Pudding Hard Sauce
11-3c

TROLLY LINE SEEKS TO INCREASE RATES

Would Make Round Trip Between Here and D. C. 48 Cents

TO DROP 25 TRIP TICKET

Increase Monthly Book From $4.46 to $5.58—Commuters Will Protest. —Become Effective February 13.

Another boost in rates is asked by the Washington-Virginia Railway Company of the Interstate Commerce Commission effective February 13. The new rates asked for would make the round trip to Washington forty-eight cents. The prevailing rate for the round trip is thirty-eight cents. The increase in the fare, therefore, is ten cents on the round trip.

They also ask permission to eliminate the twenty-five trip ticket which now sells for $2.75. The latter is regarded as the most popular ticket sold on the line, inasmuch as it is good for three months and is used not only by commuters but by families.

Another increase sought is the price of the fifty-two trip or monthly book from $4.46 to $5.58 or $1.02 increase on the monthly ticket. This ticket before the last increase sold for $4.05. The round trip for monthly commuters will be slightly in excess of 12 and one-half cents.

Inasmuch as the monthly books are good only for the person to whom they are issued this means, therefore, that practically all persons would pay forty-eight cents to go to Washington and return.

The new rates have been printed and already are being scanned by commuters. The increases are general, all along the line of the company, and increases are made to every way station in proportion. News that the road was seeking an increase came as a distinct shock to the majority of the patrons of the road.

A meeting of the commuters soon will be held for the purpose of protesting to the Interstate Commerce Commission against granting the increase. Of course, if no protest is made it is stated that the rates would become operative February 13.

It is expected that the Commuters' Association, which is still in existence, will meet next week to take preliminary steps in the matter.

It is contended by many persons that should the increase asked for become operative it would eventually drive many Alexandrians to live in Washington and also drive many from Arlington county, especially the suburbs north of Alexandria, also to move to Washington.

With all prices coming down at the resent time the announcement that the road wants another boost in fare came like a thunderbolt from a clear sky. Many Alexandrians were hoping a decrease in rates would eventually be made instead of an increase.

WILL OF P. F. GORMAN PROBATED TODAY

In the corporation court today the will of Patrick F. Gorman, dated April 15, 1918, written in the handwriting of the testator, was admitted to probate. Testator bequeaths his estate to his children. His daughter, Miss Mary J. Gorman and his son, Dr. Edward A. Gorman, qualified as administrators with will annexed.

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GAZETTE'S CLASSIFIED
COLUMNS
Of the 20,000 people in Alexandria probably 1000 want something every day that you have and would like to sell. It may be service, employment, rooms, meals, merchandise, or, any one of a hundred other things. You and they can meet in the classified columns of the Gazette. This is the cheapest and best market place for small things. Try it. Only one cent a word, but no charge less than twenty-five cents. 5-7t.

REDUCTION
Country butter, 55 cents; fresh eggs 80 cents. All groceries reduced. J. E. PURCELL, 117 South Henry Street. Phone 567-W.
12-2c.

Drive Starts Monday

Already Many Contributions Have Been Received for Near East Relief

The drive for funds for the Near East Relief will begin officially in this city on Monday, but a number of contributions have been turned in to E. H. Dudley, treasurer of the Alexandria Branch of the Near East Relief.

Those who have sent five dollars to support an orphan for one month are: Miss Constance Tyler, Miss Gwynn Schley, the Allison W. C. T. U., the Lady Maccabees, Theodore Harris and the Temple Sisters.

Miss Mary Jones gave $10 for two months' support of an orphan, and the Ministerial Association gave the collection for the week of prayer services amounting to $79.31.

The collections in a number of Sunday Schools tomorrow will be for this object and the ministers have been requested to make an appeal for the Near East Relief from their pulpits tomorrow.

MAXWELL CO. LIABILITY PLACED AT $16,000,000

Detroit, Jan. 15.—A petition asking that claims of creditors and assets of the Maxwell Motor Company be established, and that seeks an injunction restraining other creditors from interfering while suit for the recovery of 6064 is pending, was filed in United States District Court here today by the Jenkend Muirs Manufacturing Company of Detroit.

In the bill of complaint the manufacturing company states that about 150 of the creditors hold claims against the Maxwell Company. These claims aggregate about four million dollars, the petition states, and that other indebtedness in the form of loans brings the company's total liability to sixteen million.

The Maxwell Company has assets the petition continues, aggregating more than twenty-five million dollars, but these could not be converted into cash without great loss. The plaintiff contends the immediately realizable assets of the Maxwell Co. are not sufficient to meet claims of creditors.

In an answer filed by the Maxwell Motor Company the petitions of the plaintiff for an injunction restraining creditors and for establishment of claims of creditors and assets are concurred with.

MR. WOOLLEY RESIGNS

Hon. Robert W. Woolley, formerly of Fairfax, has resigned from the Interstate Commerce Commission, of which he had been a member for two years. Mr. Wooley's record as a member of the commission is one of efficiency and broadmindedness that did much in carrying the railroads through the rough days of the past two years. His name is being mentioned for the chairmanship of the Democratic party and the party will do well if it can get him to take the troublesome office.—Fairfax Herald.

FAIRFAX BANK BOARD

At the annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the Bank of Fairfax, held Tuesday, officers and directors for the coming year were elected as follows:

Dr. F. M. Brooks, president; C. V. Ford, 1st vice president; R. E. Thornton, 2nd vice president; Edgar Littleton, cashier; M. E. Church, D. S. Mackall, Dr. F. M. Brooks, M. D. Hall, T. R. Keith, C. Vernon Ford Dallas Berry, R. R. Farr, F. D. Richardson, Dr. F. W. Huddleson, Dr. Ford Sweetnam and R. E. Thornton, directors.

IRISH FIRE ON ROYAL POLICE

London, Jan. 15.—A band of men, believed by the authorities to have been Sinn Feiners or Sinn Fein sympathizers, opened fire on the police at Wandsworth yesterday. One arrest was made. Wandsworth is a suburb of London.

The police announced that they had found bottles filled with gasoline at Wandsworth, and that "they believed the Sinn Feiners intended to set fire to a big oil warehouse."

Dublin, Jan. 15.—A band of armed men opened fire at Armagh yesterday, wounding a civilian and a constable. No arrests were made.

RAILWAY HEADS SAY RELIEF VITAL

Urge Partial Settlement for Losses in Six Wonth's Guarantee Period

APPEAL BY WILLARD

Declares B and O. Practically Has Stopped Purchasing Supplies—Situation Characterized as "Acute"

Washington, Jan. 15.—Increased rates granted the railroads have failed to yield anticipated revenues and many roads are in a precarious financial condition, in some instances without funds to purchase supplies, a group of railway executives declared yesterday before the House Commerce Committee.

Urging amendment of the Transportation act to enable the carriers to obtain partial settlements for losses sustained during the six months' guarantee period after Government control ended, the delegation, which included Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio, and Samuel Rea, head of the Pennsylvania, told the committee that relief must be granted immediately if the transportation system of the country is to function effectively.

Others who urged quick action on relief legislation were William J. Hobbs, vice president of the Boston and Maine; M. L. Bell, general counsel for the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, and T. DeWitt Cuyler and Alfred P. Thom, chairman and general counsel, respectively, of the Association of Railway Executives. Chairman Clark, of the Interstate Commerce Commission, also advocated amendment of the Transportation act to permit partial settlement of the railroads' claims.

Mr. Willard declared that the Baltimore and Ohio "has practically stopped purchasing supplies because its officials do not see how they will be able to pay for them.

"The company at present," he added, "is not even earning interest on its investment."

Mr. Rea said the earnings of the roads since they were granted higher rates had not been as great as anticipated, while Mr. Thom explained that there had been an appreciable drop in traffic, resulting, he added, in a considerable decrease in revenue.

The situation was characterized by Mr. Hobbs as "exceedingly acute." The Boston and Maine, he added, is at its wits' end as to how it will meet its obligations and get supplies."

The railroads, the executives contended, have been unable to file final complete statements of their losses with the Interstate Commerce Commission as required in order to obtain payment of the amount due them because many claims against the carriers have not been filed and they are unable to determine just what their complete losses will be.

Colonial Dames

Indorsement Given Near East Relief Fund

At the last meeting of the Alexandria Circle of Colonial Dames a letter was read from Miss Edith Snowden, chairman of the correspondence committee of the Near East Relief Association, Alexandria Branch, asking the indorsement of the campaign for funds to relieve the starving children of the Near East.

The report was heartily indorsed by the members, and although as an association they are unable to make an appropriation, the members individually will contribute to this worthy cause.

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THE HEAVENS DECLARE. The heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament sheweth His handiwork. The Old Testament is filled with the rhapsodies of the inspired Hebrew prophets. There is no writing in the world, sacred or profane, that so profoundly breathes the intimate relationship between man and his Maker. There is no literature extant in the world that is more sublime in its expression, more beautiful in its poetic thought, more profound in its philosophy, more varied in its imagery, more inscrutable in its wisdom, more human in its sympathy, more touching in its simplicity of utterance, or more divine in its revelation of the Spirit of God. Said the old Hebrew prophet: "The Heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament sheweth his handiwork." Science was not then born; mathematics was in its infancy; chemistry an unknown name; and astronomy part superstition and part guess-work. Still these old Hebrew men of God knew that the wonders of the universe surpassed the compass of human imagination. They did not need to know the mathematics of the stars; they had a far deeper knowledge: that intuition, inspiration, feeling, which is deeper than all thought.

Professor Michelsen, of the Chicago University, has just made public his discovery of a new method of measuring the stars. He is the first to measure the wondrous fixed star Betelgeuse, in the constellation of Orion. He has discovered that it would take 27 million of our suns to equal it in size. That it has a diameter of 300 million miles, which means a circumference of about a billion miles. The human imagination staggers under these figures. They are impossible of conception. Our solar system, which has seemed illimitable to us, hitherto, shrinks into insignificance. Nor do we know how many countless suns there may be as great or greater. Verily, we can but say with David: "The Heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament sheweth His handiwork."

THE TWO LEE HIGHWAYS The plans are now completed for the first annual convention of the Lee Highway Association to be held in Knoxville, Tenn., on January 18th-20th. This convention, which will be attended by leading highway workers from all parts of the country, will deliberate on plans for the early completion of the Lee Highway from New York to New Orleans, and from thence the Robert E. Lee Highway to San Francisco, thus making a transcontinental highway. The Lee Highway starts from New York and proceeds via Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington, Winchester, Staunton, Lexington, Natural Bridge, Roanoke, Bristol, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Birmingham and Meridian to New Orleans. The Robert E. Lee Transcontinental Highway then continu esthe road via Houston, San Antonio, El Paso, Phoenix, Yuma, San Diego and Los Angeles, to San Francisco. If the various transcontinental highways proposed, the Lee Highway will be the most picturesque, and for the greater part of the year by far the most comfortable. The program for the convention is exceedingly interesting. The meetings will begin Tuesday, 18th inst., and conclude Thursday, the 30th inst. Prominent speakers from Virginia, Tennessee, Arkansas, Washington, D. C., and Maryland, will address the convention. On the 19th inst., Lee's birthday, Mrs. M. M. Caldwell, of Roanoke, Va., will deliver an address on: "The Greatness that was Lee's; the Opportunity that is Ours." President Wilson will also send a message fitted to the occasion. If any of our Alexandria citizens contemplate attending, it would be well to make reservation in advance. This can be done by wiring Wm. B. Ponder, manager of the Knoxville Chamber of Commerce.

A VITAL MATTER TO ALEXANDRIA. In our news columns today we note the advance in rates sought by the Washington-Virginia Railway Company, to become effective February 13th next. If this increase is granted it will prove a serious blow to Alexandria. It will practically drive the commuters to Washington, and interfere with the weekly travel of other citizens, not only of Alexandria and Washington, but of the thriving suburbs that have been fostered and built up during the past few years. We understand the Commuters' Association is taking up the matter, and propose a meeting next week to enter a vigorous protest. We hope this meeting will be fully attended and that every person interested will be on hand to give his support. We suggest that a committee be appointed to appear before the Commission thoroughly armed with facts and figures, and that they take a most energetic stand in defense of the city's inalienable rights. This rank injustice must not be tolerated.

HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

The Alexandria High School basketball team dropped another game last Saturday when they were defeated by the fierce onslaught of the Bliss Electrical College, of Washington. The score was 17 to 12.

The High School lads showed bad form throughout the entire game, while the Bliss boys were not in much better form but they had the advantage of numbers and weight. A new Bliss team went in the game in every quarter.

Summary:

A. H. S.—12		B. E. C.—17
Midkiff	F	Bachmann
Dreifus (Capt.)	F	Spriggs
Petitt	C	Holbrook
Oliver	G	Beaulin
Myers	G	Shaffer

Today was undoubtedly our lucky day in that our girls team accomplished a feat which the boy's team had not hitherto been able to do. They started their season with a victory over their rivals of last season, Misses Eastmans' School (Wash) in the Epiphany gymnasium by a score of 14 to 10. The entire team acquitted themselves with honor, and reflected credit to Miss Reardon's coaching. An Eastman Pennant was given them in honor of their victory.

Summary:

A. H. S.—14		E. S.—10
Adams	F	Elliott
Dienelt	F	Church
Paff	C	Smith
Steele	SC	Snyder (Capt.)
Wattles (Capt.)	G	Davis
Davis	G	Hall

Field goals, Miss Adams 4, Miss Dienelt 3, Miss Elliott 3, Miss Church Goals from fouls Miss Elliott 2 out of 3. Referee, Misses Reardon and Brewer.

But our luck for the day did not end with the victory of the girls. The boys, possibly a bit envious of the girl's victory wreaked their vengance on the unsuspecting team of Manassas Agricultural High School, by defeating them 34 to 13. The High School boys could not get their eyes on the basket the first half, but when they came back in the beginning of the second half they showed Manassas a "point or two" of the "old game" and piled up a few points. The passing of the entire team and the shooting of Midkiff featured for the winners, while "The Manassians" found surcease of sorrow in the superb work of "Little Gue" at forward

Summary:

A. H. S.—34		M. H. S.—13
Midkiff	F	Gue
Dreifus (Capt.)	F	Larson (Capt.)
Petitt	C	J. Lewis
Oliver	G	H. Lewis
Myers	G	Brown

Field goals: Midkiff 8, Dreifus 4, Petitt 4, Myers, Gue 4, Larson. Free goals Gue 3 out of 4.

Substitutions: Bayliss for Midkiff, Newland for Dreifus, Cockey for Petitt, Wade for Oliver, Pohl for Myers, and Rector for Brown. Referee Entwisle.

Thursday, January 13th, the school enjoyed their weekly assembly. The program rendered by the Commercial class was very pleasing and greatly enjoyed by all. The program is as follows:

1. Remarks by Mr. Haydon, in which he announced three basketball games for the coming week.
Tuesday at 8 p. m. Tech (Washington) vs. A. H. S. at A. H. S.
Friday at 8 p. m. Fredericksburg H. S. vs. A. H. S. at A. H. S.
Friends vs. A. H. S. Girls at Epiphany Gym. at 3.30 Wednesday.
Mr. Haydon also announced that we would find our week's record in Saturday's Gazette.
2. Piano Solo, Miss Virginia Procter.
3. Recitation, Miss Dorothy Moore.
4. Solo, Miss Margaret Reef.
5. Reading, Miss Carmine Sweig.
6. Gossip, Miss Annie Knight.
The assembly will be held next Wednesday at the fourth period.
It being National Thrift Week there will be a speaker on that subject Friday, January 14, 1921. Tonight the High School Boys added another victory to their record by defeating the fast team of Warrenton High School, score of 26 to 16. Both teams were in good form and an unusually fast game was the result. The good work of Dreifus and spectacular shots of Petitt featured for the locals, while Warrenton's best bet was Thoma at center. The game was well patronized despite the weather and muddy street over which they had to pick their way to the High School Gym.

Summary:

Field goals, A. H. S. Midkiff 3, Dreifus 5, Petitt 4.

W. H. S. Richards, Mathews 2, Thomas 4. Free goals, A. H. S. Midkiff 2, W. H. S. Mathews, Thoma. Referee, Creegan, V. A. C.

C. W. HOUSTON.

BASKETBALL

The Dreadnaughts pulled off a fleet barn-storming trip last night, crossing the Potomac to Indian Head, Maryland, winning a basketball game, 29 to 18, being entertained by a supper, dance, and general all around good time, returning this morning on the government tug, more the worse for their rough trip to the opposite side of the river. The game was extremely close and interesting from start to finish, the first half ending 17-12 in the locals favor, the final twenty minutes increasing the count to 29 to 18 margin, and putting up the best game seen in the Indian Head gym this season, close guarding by Dreifus, Roberts and Sinner Hayden, which prevented the government workers from increasing their count, while Beaton and Alexander were shooting goals with accuracy, carried the difference. Scoring by the locals; Beaton 4 goals, 1 foul, Alexander, 4 goals, Roberts, Dreifus and Hayden, 2 each.

Tonight at 8:15 Dreadnaughts vs. U. S. Mayflower, of Washington, at Armory Hall. Another close game is expected, the sailors have not as yet met defeat by an independent, while the locals have won eight straight, a good turnout of fans is expected. Give the home team support from the side lines, you will see port from the side lines, and you will see a good game.

BARUCH SEES WORLD PANIC IF LEAGUE IS REJECTED

Washington, Jan. 15.—Bernard M. Baruch, former head of the War Industries Board and confidentia adviser of the President at the Peace Conference, while at the White House yesterday said that if the League of Nations does not become a sound reality, the world would experience the worst panic in its history.

The opinion of Mr. Baruch was that the disintegration of the League will precipitate world chaos, and that the attitude of the French Government in opposition to the fixing of an indemnity to be paid by Germany until France is safeguarded and her future peace assured is founded on right and justice. He said that he heartily approved of the stand of France.

Mr. Baruch expects to remain in Washingtgon until tomorrow night, and in the meantime may hold a conference with President Wilson, although no appointment has yet been made.

Mr Baruch was decorated yesterday with the Distinguished Service Medal by Secretary Baker. The decoration was conferred in recognition of Mr. Baruch's services to the government in the World War, Mr. Baker said.

BOMB PLOT WARNING DENIED BY U. S. AGENTS

New York, Jan. 15.—While fresh cordons of police continued last night to guard public buildings, churches, homes and offices of prominent men, George F. Lamb, chief of the local Department of Justice agents, denied he had received information of a supposed bomb plot.

Mr. Lamb said his department was taking no interest in the bomb rumors and none of the Government operatives was on duty guarding public buildings and residences. William J. Flynn, chief of the Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice, also denied he had received knowledge of the supposed plot.

A formal warning was sent yesterday from the American Defense Society calling on its members in New York city particularly and the country generally to be on the alert against any anti-governmental activities.

Detectives of the Bomb Squad were sent hurrying to the Custom House late last night upon receipt of information that one of the cleaners in the building had received a telephone message stating that the building would be blown up by a bomb at midnight. A cordon of police was thrown about the building and detectives made a hasty search of the corridors and offices.

CHURCHES

St. Mary's Catholic Church, Rev. Louis Smet rector, masses at 7, 9 and 11 a. m.

Immanuel Lutheran Church, Rev. Carl Goette, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Service 11 a. m.

Pentecostal Assembly—Old Presbyterian Church, 300 block south Fairfax street, Sunday School, 10 a. m., preaching service, 7:45 p. m., by Rev. P. C. Duborg.

St. Paul's P. E. Church, services, Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.; Men's Bible Class 9:45 a. m. Services 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. At the morning service the sermon will be by the Rev. Dr. W. E. Rollins.

Methodist Protestant Church—Rev. G. J. Hill, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Morning service 11 o'clock. Evening 7:45.

Christian Science Society—Services at Lee Camp Hall, 806 Prince street, Sunday at 11 a. m., and Sunday School at 10 a. m., and services Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Second Baptist Church, Rev. O. P. Lloyd pastor, Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., George K. Bender, Supt. Worship at 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor. Evening sermon, 7:45. A cordial welcome to all.

Free Methodist Church, Rev. I. H. Kelly, pastor. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m., and 8 p. m. Children's class meeting at 3 p. m., Young Peoples' Meeting 7 p. m. Class meeting Tuesday and prayer meeting Thursday 7:45 p. m.

Grace P. E. Church, Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector, order of services tomorrow; Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m., Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., morning service, 11 a. m.; evening service, 7:45 p. m.

First Baptist Church—Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 7 p. m. Preaching at 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m.

Christ Protestant Episcopal Church, rector, Rev. Dr. William J. Morton. Sunday School and Emmanuel Bible Class, 9:30 a. m. Morning service 11 o'clock. Evening service at 7:45 o'clock. Free pews. Everybody welcome.

The Methodist Episcopal Church, South, West side South Washington street, near King. Rev. Dr. E. V. Regester, pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. The Henry K. Field Bible Class for men at 9:45 a. m. The men of Alexandria and vicinity will be cordially welcomed here.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church—east side of South Washington street, founded 1774. Rev. Dr. D. H. Martin, pastor. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., Charles Fortmiller, superintendent 9:45 a. m., Men's Bible Class, teacher, Dr. Martin, assistant, R. E. Knight, Jr. Services 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. The public cordially invited, strangers especially welcomed. A cordial invitation to men to attend Bible Class. At 7:30 address by the pastor, "The 10 Financial Commandment?"

Second Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor, Sunday Schools at 9:30 a. m., in Westminster Building and Commerce St. Mission, 10 a. m., Westminster Bible Class in auditorium of church, Glenn L. Justice, teacher. Christian Endeavor at 7 p. m. Services 11 a. m., and 7:45 p. m. Special music by the choir at both services.

Salvation Army, headquarters 319-21 King street, Captain and Mrs. J. D. Hellwege and Envoy Martin Rudisill, officers in charge. Week night meetings Tuesday and Thursday. Young people's meeting, Wednesday at 8 p. m. Sunday School 2:30, Y. P. L., 6:30, Salvation meeting 8 p. m.

TWO EARTHQUAKES IN ITALY

Rome, Jan. 15.—Two earth tremors occurred last night in Faenza, in north central Italy, between Bologna and Ravenna. The first tremor was noted at 7 p. m., and the second at 9:30 p. m.

No mention of damage is made in the reports.

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WS IN BRIEF

Proctor has returned nd, Ohio, to see her . Ruth Ballenger, who sick, but is improving.

ces are in progress at odist Church, and ser- held every night next Saturday.

m of fire shortly after night brought out the nt. The engines went hundred block South t.

W. C. T. U., will meet uth Field, 303 South street, Monday, at 8 p. attendance is desired as nportance is to be con-

he room taught by Mrs. won the spelling and natches staged yester- ar in spelling was Ber- t, and in geography h.

Julian D. Knight has d a contract for rebuild- ence of F. W. Cannon on hington street extended. as destroyed by fire De-

oyer, Jr.'s played a snap- e against the High School am last night, winning Blunt and Fletcher play- the juniors, and Jameson n starred for the Fresh-

a Taylor Hubbard Gray invitations for the mar- r daughter, Miss Sallie rland, to Rev. Walter ppen, Jr., Thursday, Feb- 6:30 o'clock in the even- ncan Memorial Church, .

ed ministerial association d "Go to Church Sunday" w and all persons having equested by the ministers hem to be off tomorrow to attend the 11 o'clock rvices in the various col- es.

rst Baptist Church tomor- Dr. E. B. Jackson, pastor. series of sermons at the ce on "The Great Ques- e Bible." The special topic ing will be "The Question Lawyer Asked Jesus." especially welcome.

The condition of Police Justice Louis N. Truffer still continues critical.

Mr. George M. Reynolds is still confined to the Alexandria Hospital where he has been a patient for several weeks.

Elmer Gates Manning, a juvenile opera singer, will shortly appear in a vaudeville act here. He is now traveling with a minstrel show.

Mr. J. M. Rose left last night for Hazard, Ky., where he has accepted a position as assistant bookkeeper with an electric light company at that place.

Mrs. Walter T. Oliver has been called to the home of her parents, near Luray, by the serious illness of her mother, now over 80 years of age. Little Miss Catherine Oliver accompanied her mother to Luray.

British Raid Office Of Spanish Consul

London, Jan. 15.—The military and police raided the home of James Campbell, at Queenstown, yesterday. Campbell, who is correspondent for a press association, as well as the morning Post and Irish Times, is also the Spanish consul.

According to a dispatch reaching here, the Black and Tans at Ballina, County Mayo, this evening compelled five Sinn Feiners, all prominent shopkeepers, to march through the streets of the town carrying the Union Jack above their heads and trailing the Sinn Fein flag in the gutter. After the forced march the men were compelled by British troops to burn the Sinn Fein flag.

William MacGrath, Kings Counsel, attacked last night in his residence in Dublin, died today of his injuries, it was reported here. MacGrath was shot several time by unknown men.

SCRANTON RENT WAR ON

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 15.—Women from all parts of the city stormed the Municipal Building yesterday and demanded that Council begin an investigation of rent profiteering and jail landlords alleged to have increased rents from $10 to $60. The Council chamber was packed to standing room with determined women, who have been notified by alleged rent hogs that rents will be boosted to outrageous prices next April.

Just before the meeting adjourned Mayor A. T. Connell appeared and announced that he would appoint a committee to investigate profiteering in rents and that this committee will begin work next week.

LAUGHS!

Too Short a Notice

Father (To Sammy, coming home in a bedraggled condition): Great Scot! how you look!

Sammy: Yes, Pa, I fell in a mud hole.

Father: What! and with your new pants on.

Sammy: Yes, I didn't have time to take them off.—January Boys' Life.

Hay

Tenderfoot: A donkey was tied to a rope six feet long, and 18 feet away tehre was a bundle of hay, and the donkey wanted to get at the hay. How did he manage to?

First Class Scout: He gave up.

Tenderfoot: Oh, no. He just walked up to the hay and ate it.

F. C. S.: But you said it was tied to a rope six fett long.

Tenderfoot: So it was. But you see, the rope wasn't tied to anything.—January Boys' Life.

Caught On

Pa to Bill: Don't you know it's wrong to fish on Sunday?

Bill: I'm not fishing. I'm only teaching this worm to swim—January Boys' Life.

Just Passing

Passerby: Well. How is business today, boys?

Tailor: Oh, just sew, sew.

Dentist: Down in the mouth.

Watchmaker, Mine's winding up.

Office Boy: Mine's picking up.

Farmer: Growing.

Druggish: I'm dispensing without help, today.

Passerby passed away.—January Boys' Life.

Looking For a Bite

Tramp: Can you assist me along the road, mum?

Lady: Personally I cannot, but I can unchain my dog and I know he will be pleased to do so.—January Boys' Life.

Post Crop

Tenderfoot: Say, First Class Scout, how is your garden coming?

First Class Scout: Well, my peach trees are all dead but one of my fence posts is budding!—January Boys' Life.

Plain

"Give me a plain soda without any flavor."

"What kind of a flavor would you like it without?

"Oh! I'd like it without vanilla flavor."

"Sorry, sir! I am out of vanilla. You will have to have it without chocolate, sir."—January Boys' Life.

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Harry M. Daugherty, who does not recent imputations that he may be the Mark Hanna of the Harding administration, left Washington last night at the end of three busy days of conference with Republican Senatorial leaders. One of his last and longest powwows was with Senator Penrose.

Daugherty corroborated the announcement from Marion that at least two of the Harding Cabinet appointments—probably the State and Treasury portfolios—would be announced next week before the President-elect's departure for Florida.

He is as noncomittal as an oyster on the Cabinet make up in general and his own chances of becoming Attorney General in articular. Nearly everybody in Washington accounts Daugherty a certainty for the Department of Justice.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 12th day of January, 1921.

Ethel Hoeborn Watson, complainant vs. John Berry Watson, defendant. In Chancery No. 1331.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant, Ethel Hoeborn Watson, from the defendant John Berry Watson, on the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant John Berry Watson is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Charles Henry Smith, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

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INAUGURAL BALL WILL BE HELD FOR CHARITY

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—The usual Inaugural Ball for March 4 has ben abandoned, but there will be a ball in Washington on the night President-elect Harding is inaugurated. Essentially, the dance will be for the benefit of children's institutions in the District of Columbia and its patronesses will include wives of Senators, Cabinet officers, and others and the President-elect and Mrs. Harding will be invited.

Plans for the ball still are tentative and the place for it has not been selected. Announcement of the event came as a relief to local merchants, who had expected that many handsome and costly gowns which had been ordered by women for the Inaugural Ball prove a drug on the market.

Dozen Steamships Held up by Storms

New York, Jan. 15.—Officers of steamship lines here reported yesterday that 13 passenger vessels and 26 freight steamers due in this port today and tomorrow from European ports have been delayed from 12 to 48 hours because of heavy storms. Among those held up are the Imperator, one of the largest passenger ships afloat, and La France.

"Hcotch" Plant Seized on U. S. Insane Hospital Grounds

Washington, Jan. 15.—A "hootch" plant, including six gallons of 50 per cent "kick" product was seized by Federal dry crusaders here yesterday, but they made no arrests.

The distiller was a patient at the Government Hospital for the Insane and the still and three milk cans full of mash were found in the asylum grounds.

Governor May Oust Head of N. Y. Police, Whitman Intimates

New York, Jan. 15.—Possibility of a request that Governor Miller remove Police Commissioner Enright from office was hinted here yesterday by Former Governor Charles S. Whitman, special counsel in the investigation of alleged graft among city and county officials.

This denouement grew out of the refusal of the police commissioner to assign six city detectives for trailing clews brought to the attention of the prosecutor and the grand jury Although Mr. Whitman declined to state the nature of his next move, he pointed out a provision of the city charter which recited that the police commissioner was amenable to removal by the governor for dereliction of duty. Enright based his refusal on the ground that it would be improper to detail police officers to investigate the police department.

Mother Returns to Die With Children Trapped in Flames

Chardon, Ohio, Jan. 15.—Mrs. Louis Green, 38, and her three boys, aged 1, 3 and 6, were burned to death when their little two room home was destroyed by fire on the outskirts of Chardon last night. When Mrs Green saw that her children could not be saved she refused to be rescued.

How the fire started probably never will be known, because when Mrs Green rushed out of her home to give the alarm she merely cried that her children were being burned. Then she ran back into the house and threw herself on the bed beside her boys.

A would be rescuer, looking through the window, saw the mother on the bed, reached through the window and started to drag her to safety, but she drew back her arms.

Mrs. Green's husband died two weeks ago.

GUN DRAWN IN BANKER'S ROW

Boston, Jan. 15.—A quarrel between bankers which has been taken into the courts resulted in gun play yesterday, when Nicola Sciaraffa, a private banker in the North End district, went to the Tremont Trust Company offices and demanded $30,000 of Treasurer Benjamin H Swig at pistol point. He was overpowered and disarmed by the treasurer and a clerk after a struggle in which Swig said he was bitten.

A plea of not guilty to a charge of assault with intent to kill was made in the lower court by Sciaraffa, who said that he "intended only to shoot him in the leg," and repeated several times, "I only want to get my money back." He was held in $10,000 for the grand jury.

Sciaraffa's bank was closed in June by Bank Commissioner Joseph C. Allen. It was his claim that he was solvent if certain banks would pay what was owed him.

The receiver for Sciaraffa's bank has filed suits in the superior court against the Tremont Trust Company and the Fidelity Trust Company, also for funds said to be owing to Sciaraffa.

200,000 REFUGEES DYING

New York, Jan. 15.—More than 200,000 Armenian refugees, between Kars and Alexandropol, are dying because of lack of food and fuel, and anarchy stalks among them, stated latest advices from Armenia, by way of Paris, received here yesterday by the Near East Relief.

Cessation of all transportation, coupled with a severe winter, adds to the appalling situation, it was asserted by M. Ahronian, president of the Armenian delegation to the peace conference, in forwarding from France Armenian messages dated January 7. Famine threatens unless steps are immediately taken to continue American shipments of provisions, he said.

Mrs. Hammerstein Threatens to Turn Opera House Into Factory

New York, Jan. 15.—Mrs. Oscar Hammerstein, widow of the impresario, yesterday declared that rather than submit to the "unjust demands and picayune tactics" of the International Alliance of Theatrical Employes and Motion-picture Machine Operators she will close the Manhattan Opera House and turn it into a soap factory.

"Every production has been a means of overcharging by the theater employes," Mrs. Hammerstein said. "It has come to the point where the outrageous actions of the men have become intolerable. If it does not stop I will have to close and I would rather have the place used to make soap than be continued as a means of extortion."

The incident that brought Mrs. Hammerstein's anger to a climax was a bill submitted by a property man for 12 hours' overtime. She challenged the bill and says he could account for only two hours, but insisted the dispute be submitted to his union for a decision.

Lionel Johnson, attorney for the United Managers' Associations, said he had a record of many instances of oppression by the employes' organization and that the union recently demanded the same basic wages for comic opera productions as is paid for grand opera.

$580,000 in Mail Sacks Still Reported Missing

Mount Vernon, Ill., Jan. 15.—Four registered mail sacks, one which is said to have contained $80,000 and the other three of which may have contained nearly $500,000, due yesterday or today to meet miner's payrolls were still missing today, despite efforts of Postoffice officials to trace them. The sacks were missed yesterday by the transfer agent who was to take them from the postoffice here to the Chicago and Eastern Illinois station.

One coal operator reported $280,000 expected yesterday to meet his payroll had not been received today.

Federal officials investigating the matter declined to comment.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 12 day of January, 1921.

Cecil Samuel Shillingburg, complaintant vs. Cordelia MacIndoe Shillingburg, Defendant. In Chancery No. 1330.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant a limited divorce upon the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment and, when such desertion and abandonment shall have continued for a period of more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, for an absolute divorce, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Cordelia MacIndoe Shillingburg is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here with in ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Conlin, Carlin and Hall, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY.
13.-4wp Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 13 day of January, 1921.

Harriett Meldrum, complainant vs. Robert Owen Meldrum, defendant. In Chancery No. 1333.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain for complainant an absolute divorce from the bond of matrimony from defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Robert Owen Meldrum is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Davis and Budwesky, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
13.-4wp Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 13 day of January, 1921.

Alfred Jacobs, complainant vs. Ray Jacobs, defendant. In Chancery No. 1332.

MEMO.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the grounds of adultery; and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Ray Jacobs is a non-resident of this State: t is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within ten days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

William S. Snow, P. Q.

A Copy Teste.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY,
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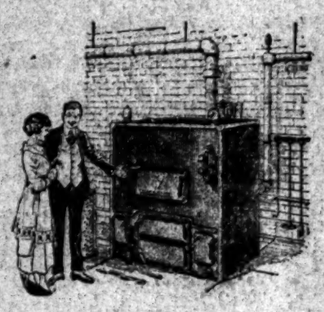

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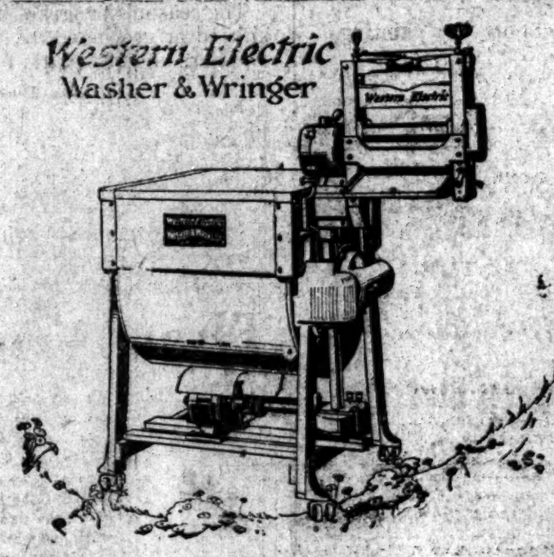

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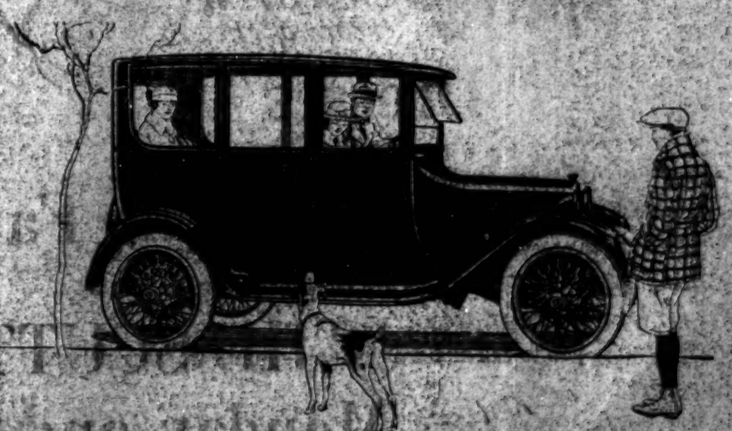

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12 CENTS IS VERDICT AGAINST N. Y. DOCTOR

New York, Jan. 15.—Six cents damages and six more for costs were found yesterday against Dr. Percy W. Roberts, eminent New York physician and surgeon sued for libel by Dr. George Barrie. The jury took just half an hour to reach its verdict.

The suit arose from a letter Dr. Roberts was alleged to have written while he was with the military forces to Dr. Barrie, who had a verbal agreement to look out for Dr. Roberts' practice while the latter was away.

Dr. Roberts published the letter by dictating it to a stenographer, and alleged that among other acts, Dr. Barrie had overcharged Dr. Roberts' patients, including Kathleen Vanderbilt and Gray Foster here, the complaint assented.

I. C. C. MODIFICATIONS ARE APPROVED BY PLUMB

Washington, Jan. 15.—Substitute legislation for Section 10 of the Clayton Antitrust act, as recommended by the Interstate Comemrce Commission, was approved yesterday before the State Interstate Commerce subcommittee by Glenn E. Plumb, general counsel for the organized railway employes.

"The modifications as proposed by the commission are all right as far as they go, but they do not go far enough," said Mr. Plumb. "Neither Section 10 nor the Frelinghuysen bill reaches the real evil."

The railways have gradually passed into the control of great financial interests under gradual absorption of railway corporations into great groups or systems under the control of a single or associated group of financiers, Mr. Plumb said.

22,292 VETERANS IN U. S. HOSPITALS

Washington, D. C. Jan. 15.—Nearly 40 per cent of the discharged disabled veterans of the world war are suffering from some form of mental derangement, according to estimates made on the basis of public health service reports by Assistant Secretary of the Treasury La Porte, who, in commenting upon the situation last night said government hospital facilities for the treatment of these men were "the scantest."

Proper treatment for these patients must come quickly, Mr. La Porte said, or they will in many cases become confirmed in their disorders. Every effort is being made by the Treasury to meet the situation, he added, but it is handicapped by lack of facilities and scarcity of doctors trained in treating mental diseases.

Patients of all classes in the public health service hospitals are increasing, Mr. La Porte said, at the rate of 1,000 a month. On September 10, 1919, he said, there were approximately 5,250 patients in the care of the service, while on January 1 of this year the number had increased to 22,292. It is expected, he asserted, that before the peak is reached the number of patients requiring hospital care will approximate from 30,000 to 35,000. It is not thought, he added, that the peak will be reached for ten years.

Of the patients in hospitals on January 1, Mr. La Porte said, 19,019 were war risk insurance patients, of whom 7,588 were suffering from tuberculosis, 5,745 were general medical and surgical patients, and 5,890 were suffering from mental disorders.

For tuberculosis patients he stated the present facilities consist of 1,000 beds in the Soldiers' Home at Johnson City, Tenn., and 7,431 beds in public health service hospitals, but of the latter 5,251 are not satisfactory. For medical and surgical patients there are 9,948 beds, he said, but 4,621 are unsatisfactory.

For mental patients, he added, there are 1,000 beds at the Soldiers' Home at Marion, Ind., and 2,500 beds in institutions under the service, but of this number 475 are not satisfactory.

WOMAN THIEF LOSES HER RIGHT TO VOTE

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 15.—The first woman in Mercer county to lose her right to vote is Mrs. Sarah W. Burns, of this city, who was sentenced yesterday by Judge Marshall, in Mercer County Court, to pay a fine of $100 upon admitting that she stole table linens and other materials while employed in a Trenton Hotel.

The woman, who will also have to pay the costs of court in addition to the fine, was placed on probation. Judge Marshall informed her that her offense was such that the law disenfranchised her, and that her right to vote would have to be restored by the Court of Pardons.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the National Manganese Corporation, to be held at the office of the company, 107 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., Saturday, Jan. 15th, 1921, at 11:00 a. m., Paul Sleman, secretary. 311-12c

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the District of Columbia Paper Manufacturing Company, will be held at its principal office, 111 South Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on the 24th day of January, 1921, between the hours of 12 a. m., and 1 p. m., of that day. 3-12c. D. A. Smith, Secty.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Atlantic Building Company will be held at its office No. 119 South Fairfax Street, on Thursday, January 20th, 1921, at 11:00 o'clock A. M. This meeting is for the purpose of the election of officers and directors for the current year.

Myron M. Parker, President,
Louis Beyer, Jr., Secretary.
6-13c.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Columbia Granite and Dredging Corporation will be held at Rooms 1 and 2, Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Virginia, on Thursday, January 20 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

8-9t G. A. Bonnet, Secretary

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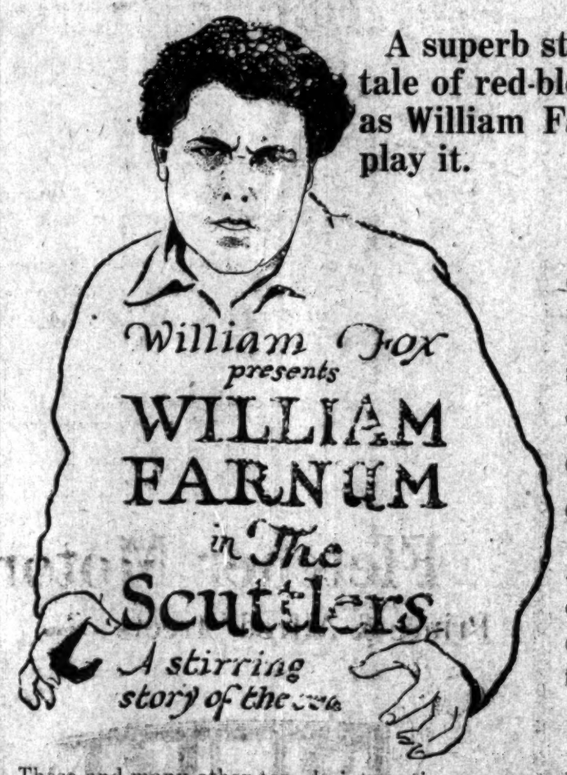

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The name of the Queen was Gloriana, and each of her twelve chief knights was known as the Champion of some virtue. Thus Sir Guyon was the representative of Temperance, Sir Artegall of Justice, Sir Calidore of Courtesy, and others took up the cause of Friendship, Constancy, and so on.

Every year the Queen held a great feast, which lasted twelve days. Once, on the first day of the feast, a stranger in poor clothes came to the court, and falling before the Queen, begged a favour of her. It was always the custom at these feasts that the Queen should refuse nothing that was asked, so she bade the stranger say what it was he wished. Then he besought that, if any cause arose which called for knightly aid, the adventure might be entrusted to him.

When the Queen had given her promise he stood quietly on one side, and did not try to mix with the other guests who were feasting at the splendid tables. Although he was so brave, he was very gentle and modest and he had never yet proved his valour in fight, therefore he did not think himself worthy of a place among the knights who had already won for themselves honour and renown.

Soon after this there rode into the city a fair lady on a white donkey. Behind her came her servant, a dwarf, leading a warlike horse that bore the armour of a knight. The face of the lady was lovely, but it was very sorrowful.

Making her way to the palace, she fell before Queen Gloriana, and implored her help. She said that her name was Una; she was the daughter of a king and queen who formerly ruled over a mighty country; but many years ago, a huge dragon came and wasted all the land, and shut the king and queen up in a brazen castle from which they might never come out. The Lady Una therefore besought Queen Gloriana to grant her one of her knights to fight and kill this terrible dragon.

Then the stranger sprang forward, and reminded the Queen of the promise she had given. At first she was unwilling to consent, for the Knight was young, and, moreover, he had no armour of his own to fight with.

Then said the Lady Una to him, "Will you wear the armour that I bring you, for unless you do you will never succeed in the enterprise, nor kill the horrible monster of Evil? The armour is not new, it is scratched and dinted with many a hard-fought battle, but if you wear it rightly no armour that ever was made will serve you so well."

Then the stranger bade them bring the armour and put it on him, and Una said, "Stand, therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness, and your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; above all taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked, and take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit which is the word of God."

And when the stranger had put off his own rough clothes and was clad in this armour, straightway he seemed the goodliest man in all that company, and the Lady Una was well pleased with her champion; and, because of the red cross which he wore on his breastplate and on his silver shield, henceforth he was known always as "the Red Cross Knight." But his real name was Holiness, and the name of the lady for whom he was to do battle was Truth.

So these two rode forth into the world together, while a little way behind followed their faithful attendant Prudence. And now you shall hear some of the adventures that befell the Red Cross Knight and his two companions.

(To be continued next Saturday)

Family of Six Starving In New York Tenement

New York, Jan. 15.—The story of a family of six, all starving to death, came to the attention of police yesterday. Morris Englehardt, who lives on the ground floor of a house in Brooklyn, answered a knock at his door and admitted Charles Aran, 7, son of a neighbor living upstairs. The boy was so weak he could hardly stand.

Englehardt went upstairs and found Peter Aran, and his wife and three daughters on a mattress on the floor. There was no furniture in the room and no fire.

An ambulance surgeon pronounced the family suffering from starvation and ptomaine poisoning. Lola, the only one of the daughters who can speak English, said that last evening they sold some of the children's toys and bought a can of tinned meat.

The family came here from Porto Rico about a month ago.

Playwrights Nip Efforts To Force "Closed Shop"

New York, Jan. 15.—An effort to force a "closed shop" for playwrights was nipped in the bud yesterday, the bud being a meeting of 31 members of the Dramatists' Guild of the Authors' League of America, membership of which is said to be about 150. The authors gathered at Cafe Boulevard, and by a vote of 20 to 11 passed the resolution of the committee appointed some time ago opposing the invitation of the Actors' Equity Association to join with the union players in forcing an "equity shop". As result of the meeting authors will continue, for the present at least, to work without union cards.

John E. Morrison, president of the Equity, who was instrumental in inviting the authors to join the players' union, charged in open meeting, that the committee was packed for the purpose of preventing the authors as a body from joining.

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ONE MAN HAS ONE JOB NO ONE CAN DUPLICATE

Washington, D. C., Jan. 15.—Warren G. Harding in being elected a member of the Rotary Club of this city, is unique in the respect that he is causing no heart burnings among other men in the same business. The Rotary Club allows but one representative of a business, profession, or occupation to join the club in any particular city.

Some time the choice of a man for the distinction causes a little jealousy on the part of the others in the same line who have not been so favored. This cannot be in the case of Senator Harding, for no other man can, at present, write after his name "President-elect of the United States of America," and just to avoid any argument after March 4, the Rotary Club here is going to see to it that his classification is changed to, "President of the United States of America,"—and there cannot be rival claims placed against that either.

FAILS AT SUISCIDE

Express Messenger Says 'I Must Die' Only Hurt in Leap

Williamsport, Pa., Jan. 15.—Leaving a note, "I must die," pinned to his lunch box, Express Messenger Andrew Brown, of Erie, leaped from a fast moving Pennsylvania train east of Lock Haven yesterday.

He escaped death, but was severely cut and bruised in his plunge. Brown who left this city on an express train at 7 o'clock yesterday morning, turned his lunch box over to the conductor, asking him to give it to the agent at Lock Haven, after which he opened the car door and leaped out.

REVENUE AGENT ARMY INVADES COAL REGION

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 15.—An army of Federal agents has invaded the coal regions to check up local revenue men, prohibition enforcement officers and alleged bootleggers. It is said that 150 more revenue agents, secret service operatives and intelligence men arrived during the night from several cities of the East. For the past several months, the local revenue men and enforcement officers have never been certain of the actual identity of men they were working with and therefore the belief is general and many more arrests are to be made.

It is stated here that the visit of so many men to this community has resulted from the arrest of Rueben H. Hoffman, deputy revenue collector, on the charge of accepting a $10,000 bribe to destroy evidence against a brewery.

8 FRIED EGGS BRACED YOUNG BANDIT FOR WORK

Fitman, N. J., Jan. 15.—How he fried eggs in the basement of a bakery, after lunching upon cakes and pastry while waiting for the town "to go to sleep," before venturing upon further raids was told to Robert Hickman, chief of police by Charles Luciana, youthful bandit, who was removed to the Gloucester county jail at Woodbury yesterday from Camden, where he was captured wit hhis loot.

After his meal, he felt invigorated sufficiently to break into three business places and load up with loot, which included jewelry and clothing. Among the latter were suits belonging to Sheriff S. P. Clark.

Cardinal Gibbons Stronger

Baltimore, Jan. 15.—Cardinal Gibbons was very cheerful yesterday, having rested well during the night. It was said at his residence today. He was able to arise, as he has done for several days, and showed an increase of strength.

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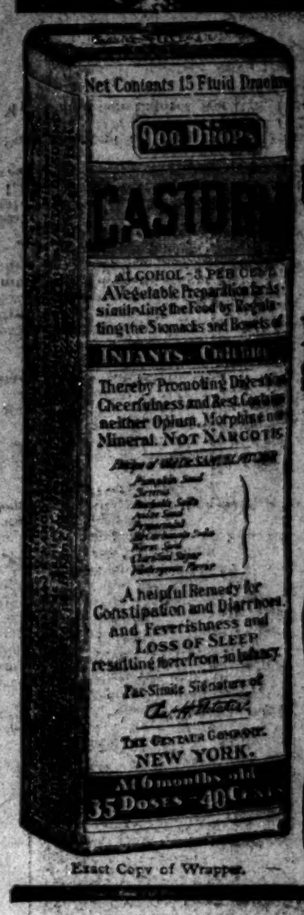
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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

CHARTER NO. 1716 **RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 5.**

Report of Condition of the CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK at Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on December 29th, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts		$1,708,958.26
Total loans	1,708,958.26	1,708,958.26
Deduct:		
Overdrafts secured $....; unsecured $561.81		561.81
U. S. Government Securities Owned.		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	100,000.00	
Pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	90,000.00	
Pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	84,250.00	
Deposited with Trust Dept. in accordance with provisions of sec. 11-K Federal Reserve Act	2,000.00	
Total U. S. Government securities		276,250.00
Other Bonds, Securities, etc.:		
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure U. S. deposits	12,000.00	
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	5,000.00	
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged	63,396.30	
Collateral trust and other notes of corporations issued for not less than one year nor more than three years' time	159,352.50	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		199,748.80
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		12,450.00
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered	49,868.00	
Equity in banking house		49,868.00
Furniture and fixtures		4,762.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		110,918.46
Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection (not available as reserve)		19,695.
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		190,619.77
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States other than included above		1,170.04
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		8,902.9
Total of items 13, 14, 15 and 16	220,327.88	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		1,182
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		5,000.0
Total		2,589,399.78

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		200,000.00
Surplus fund		216,000.00
Undivided profits	82,822.50	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	44,015.71	38,806.79
Circulating notes outstanding		98,650.00
Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits)		23,871.1
Net amounts due to National banks		33,765.70
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries (other than included above)		143.08
Certified checks outstanding		858.92
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		22,634.73
Total of items, 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32	81,253.49	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		1,009,004.49
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve	1,009,004.49	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Postal savings deposits		225.04
Other time deposits		735,083.62
Total of time deposits subject to reserve	735,308.66	
United States deposits (other than postal savings):		
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	100,286.35	100,286.35
U. S. Government Securities borrowed without furnishing collateral security for same		41,000.00
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank		70,000.00
Total		2,589,399.78

Of the total loans and discounts shown above the amount on which interest and discount was charged at rates in excess of those permitted by law (Sec. 5197, Rev. Stat.) (exclusive of notes upon which total charge not to exceed 50 cents was made) was $120.000.00. The number of such loans was 6.

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss:

I, M. L. Dinwiddie, Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. L. DINWIDDIE, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January, 1921.

CHAS. AUBREY CALLAHAN, Notary Public.

My Commission Expires May 21st, 1923.

Correct—Attest:

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
WORTH HULFISH,
URBAN S. LAMBERT,
ARTHUR H. BRYANT,
EDWARD L. DAINGERFIELD
CARROLL PIERCE, Directors.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

CHARTER NO. 7092 **RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 5**

Report of Condition of the ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK at Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business December 29th, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts		$476,373.14
Total loans		476,373.14
Overdrafts, secured $....; unsecured, $1,536.80		1,536.8
U. S. Government Securities Owned.		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	100,000.00	
Pledged to secure postal moneys	10,000.00	
Pledged to secure postal savings deposits (par value)	5,000.00	
Pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	60,000.00	
Owned and unpledged	117,880.19	
Total U. S. Government Securities		292,880.19
Other Bonds, Securities, etc.:		
Bonds and securities (other than U. S. securities) pledged as collateral for state or other deposits (postal excluded) or bills payable	60,192.50	
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged	68,563.94	
Collateral Trust and other notes of corporations issued for not less than one year nor more than three years' time	9,902.50	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		128,658.94
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription		3,350.00
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered		45,913.86
Furniture and fixtures		6,994.50
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		39,883.28
Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection (not available as reserve)		13,427.07
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		51,398.11
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States other than included above		920.00
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank		1,155.84
Total of items	66,901.02	
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		2,516.47
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		5,000.00
Interest earned but not collected—approximate—on Notes and Bills Receivable not past due		1,000.00
Other assets, if any: Sou. Ry. Transit Account (pay checks in transit)		1,895.33
Total		1,072,915.62

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		100,000.00
Surplus fund		11,600.00
Undivided profits	25,140.55	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	20,341.81	4,828.74
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned (approximate)		1,000.00
Circulating notes outstanding		97,300.00
Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits)		11,645.50
Net amounts due to National banks		11,182.33
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the United States and foreign countries other than above		997.90
Certified checks outstanding		358.91
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		763.96
Total of items	24,248.70	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		370,907.9
State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank		70,556.8
Other demand deposits		1,015.5
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve	442,480.21	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed)		16,047.8
Postal savings deposits		2,483.3
Other time deposits		285,826.8
Total of time deposits subject to reserve	304,357.97	
Bills payable, other than with Federal Reserve Bank (including all obligations representing money borrowed other than rediscounts)		37,000.0
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank		50,000.0
Total		1,072,915.6

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss:

I, L. H. Dudley, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

L. H. DUDLEY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of January 1921.

H. V. QUIGLEY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

W. G. HARVEY, Jr.
C. E. NICOL,
Wm. P. WOOLLS,
SAMUEL G. BRENT
JOHN D. NORMOYLE, Directors

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

CHARTER NO. 651 **RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 5**

Report of condition of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK at Alexandria, in the State of Virginia, at the close of business on December 29, 1920.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts		$2,912,605.22
Total loans		2,913,088.2
Overdrafts unsecured, $483.99		483.99
U. S. Government Securities Owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (U. S. bonds par value)	100,000.00	
Pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value)	25,000.00	
Pledged as collateral for State or other deposits or bills payable	84,000.00	
Owned and unpledged	8,700.00	
Total U. S. Government securities		219,700.00
Other Bonds, Securities, etc.:		
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure U. S. deposits	12,000.00	
Bonds (other than U. S. bonds) pledged to secure postal savings deposits	10,785.20	
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned and unpledged	176,752.72	
Collateral Trust and other notes of corporations issued for not less than one year nor more than three years' time	20,892.22	
Deposited with Trust Department in accordance with provisions of Sec. 11-K, Federal Reserve Act	20,000.00	
Total bonds, securities, etc., other than U. S.		241,430.14
Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock		2,523.19
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription)		12,000.0
Equity in banking house		62,710.99
Furniture and fixtures		7,750.0
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		103,374.37
Items with Federal Reserve Bank in process of collection (not available as reserve		21,243.0
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks		98,621.06
Net amounts due from banks, bankers, and trust companies other than above		2,575.2
Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than above)		4,229.
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items		1,780
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		5,000.00
Interest earned but not collected, approximate, on notes and bills receivable not past due		9,000.0
Total		3,814,192.70

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		200,000.00
Surplus fund		200,000.00
Undivided profits	183,847.61	
Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid	42,902.17	140,945.44
Interest and discount collected or credited in advance of maturity and not earned		9,000.00
Amount reserved for taxes accrued		4,588.94
Amount reserved for all interest accrued		14,112.14
Circulating notes outstanding		97,100.00
Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank (deferred credits)		7,013.38
Net amounts due to National banks		15,010.30
Net amounts due to banks, bankers, and trust companies in the U. S. and foreign countries		331.65
Certified checks outstanding		4,000.00
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		12,217.83
Total of items	20,241.38	
Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):		
Individual deposits subject to check		914,717.26
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days (other than for money borrowed)		1,227.88
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to reserve	915,945.14	
Time deposits subject to Reserve (payable after 30 days, or subject to 30 days or more notice, and postal savings):		
Postal savings deposits		732.57
Other time deposits		1,073,772.61
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve	1,074,532.18	
United States deposits (other than postal savings):		
Other United States deposits, including deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	85,297.84	85,297.84
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank		50,000.00
Total		2,814,592

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss:

I, George C. Warfield, Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE C. WARFIELD, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of January, 1921.

JULIAN T. BURKE, Notary Public.

My Commission Expires April 28, 1924.

Correct—Attest:

THOS. W. ROBINSON,
CARROLL PIERCE,
GEO. HAAS,
WILLIAM A. MOORE, Jr.
Directors.

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